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S E C R E T LISBON 2461

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TAGS: MARR, MNVC, PO
SUBJ: NUCLEAR POWERED WARSHIP (NPW) VISITS TO LISBON

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B. STATE 085297 DTG 082339Z APR 76

1. ALTHOUGH EMBASSY ANXIOUS TO RESUME USN PORT VISITS TO LISBON ON REGULAR BASIS AS SOON AS FEASIBLE, WE BELIEVE THAT DEFERRAL OF VISITS AFTER ELECTIONS, AS RECOMMENDED REFTEL A, CONTINUES TO BE ONLY ACCEPTABLE COURSE OF ACTION. OUR POSITION REMAINS AS STATED PARA 2.K REFTEL B.

2. ASSUMING ELECTIONS GO OFF AS SCHEDULED, WITH PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION IN LATE JUNE/EARLY JULY, WE WOULD SUPPORT RESUMING SHIP VISITS IN JULY, AND WOULD RECOMMEND PLANNING NOW FOR A SUIT-ABLE MIX OF CONVENTIONAL SURFACE SHIP/SSN VISITS TO LEAD TO VISIT BY NUCLEAR POWERED TASK GROUP VISIT IN LATE OC/EARLY

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NOV. WE RECOMMEND USN PORT VISIT SCHEDULE FOR LISBON AS FOLLOWS:

LATE JULY - CONVENTIONAL SURFACE SHIP

MID AUGUST - SSN

LATE SEPTEMBER - CONVENTIONAL SURFACE SHIP

OCT/NOV - NUCLEAR POWERED TASK GROUP

3. WE CONTINUE TO SUPPORT JULY 4 PORT VISIT TO OPORTO

RECOMMENDED REFTEL A.

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